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FDA Commissioner Jane E. Henney  
Parklawn Building, Rm. 14-71  
5600 Fishers Lane  
Rockville, MD 20857

RE: Docket #98N-1038

Dear Ms. Henney,

I am writing regarding the proposal to remove all labeling requirements for irradiated food. I believe that irradiated foods should be labeled so that I, the consumer, along with other consumers, can choose whether or not to eat irradiated foods.

Irradiated foods need to carry a prominent disclosure, in easy-to-read type, easily visible on the front of the package. The word "irradiation" or "irradiated" needs to be clearly visible along with the radura symbol.

Thank you for your attention to this important matter.

Sincerely,

*Wilma Rawlings*

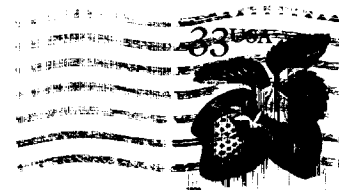
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